1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 FERNANDO BELMONTES, JR., 11 Petitioner, No. CIV S-89-0736 JAM 12 DEATH PENALTY CASE VS. 13 ROBERT L. AYERS, JR., Warden, 14 Respondent. **ORDER** 15 16 The undersigned hereby recuses himself from this action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 17 § 455 (a). Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court is directed to 18 randomly refer this case to another magistrate judge for any further proceedings which may be 19 appropriate or required. All dates set in the above-entitled action before the undersigned are hereby vacated. 20 21 DATED: June 20, 2008. 22 23 24 25 /belm0736.rec 26